

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION

JESSICA HEATHER,)	CASE NO. 5:24-cv-00375
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Plaintiff,)	JUDGE BRIDGET MEEHAN BRENNAN
)	
v.)	
)	
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL)	<u>ORDER</u>
SECURITY ADMINISTRATION,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

Before the Court is the Report and Recommendation (“R&R”) of Magistrate Judge Jennifer Dowdell Armstrong recommending the Commissioner of Social Security’s (“Commissioner”) denial of Plaintiff Jessica Heather’s (“Plaintiff”) application for disability insurance benefits and supplemental security income be affirmed. (Doc. 10.)

Under the relevant statute:

Within fourteen days after being served with a copy, any party may serve and file written objections to such proposed findings and recommendations as provided by rules of court. A judge of the court shall make a de novo determination of those portions of the report or specified proposed findings or recommendations to which objection is made.

28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C) (flush language).

The R&R was issued on November 21, 2024. (Doc. 10.) Plaintiff is represented by counsel. (Doc. 1 at 2.) No objection to the R&R has been filed, and the deadline for doing so has passed. The failure to timely file written objections to a report and recommendation of a magistrate judge constitutes a waiver of *de novo* review by the district court. *United States v. Walters*, 638 F.2d 947, 949–50 (6th Cir. 1981); *Thomas v. Arn*, 728 F.2d 813 (6th Cir. 1984),

aff'd, 474 U.S. 140 (1985). The failure to file written objections also results in a waiver of the right to appeal. *Thomas*, 728 F.2d at 815.

The Court has reviewed the R&R and adopts the same. Accordingly, the final decision of the Commissioner of Social Security denying Plaintiff's application for disability insurance benefits and supplemental security income is AFFIRMED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: December 12, 2024



BRIDGET MEEHAN BRENNAN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE